



24 April 2024

Dear [REDACTED]

Thank you for your request made under the Official Information Act 1982 (OIA), received on 4 April 2024. You requested the following:

How much is the Total tax debt owed to Inland Revenue by year or month from Fiscal Year 16 to present (or as present as possible)?

Information publicly available

Your request is refused under section 18(d) of the OIA, as the information requested is publicly available.

Page 93 of Inland Revenue's 2023 Annual Report outlines the total tax debt for the 2019-2023 years ending 30 June. The 2023 Annual Report is available on the Inland Revenue website, at:

ird.govt.nz/-/media/project/ir/home/documents/about-us/publications/annual-and-corporate-reports/annual-reports/annual-report-2023.pdf?modified=20231019003739&modified=20231019003739

Page 53 of Inland Revenue's 2018 Annual Report outlines the total tax debt for the 2014-2018 years ending 30 June. The 2018 Annual Report is available on the Inland Revenue website, at:

ird.govt.nz/-/media/project/ir/home/documents/about-us/publications/annual-and-corporate-reports/annual-reports/annual-report-2018.pdf?modified=20231018205534&modified=20231018205534

Right of review

If you disagree with my decision on your OIA request, you can ask an Inland Revenue review officer to review my decision. To ask for an internal review, please email the Commissioner of Inland Revenue at: CommissionersCorrespondence@ird.govt.nz.

Alternatively, under section 28(3) of the OIA, you have the right to ask the Ombudsman to investigate and review my decision. You can contact the office of the Ombudsman by email at: info@ombudsman.parliament.nz.

If you choose to have an internal review, you can still ask the Ombudsman for a review.

Publishing of OIA response

We intend to publish our response to your request on Inland Revenue's website (www.ird.govt.nz) as this information may be of interest to other members of the public. This

letter, with your personal details removed, will be published in its entirety. Publishing responses increases the availability of information to the public and is consistent with the OIA's purpose of enabling more effective participation in the making and administration of laws and policies and promoting the accountability of officials.

Thank you for your request.

Yours sincerely



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